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We desire, and are determined, to close out our entire stock to dissolve and settle the partnership, and will sell all goods at COST for the next THIRTY DAYS.

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RIGHTLY

WAS THE ACT SO NAMED.

A Leading Journal Explains the Origin of "The Crime of 1873"—Proof Overwhelming.

The New York Freeman's Journal has at some length explained why the act demonetizing silver is rightly termed "The Crime of 1873." After quoting from the Congressional Record the remarks of prominent members of the Congress which passed the law, the Journal continues:

"In view of this testimony, the advocates of silver and everyone else who has a shred of moal sense left to him, are justified, nay, bound by the obligation of veracity to designate the law demonetizing silver as the 'Crime of 1873;' the as yet unpunished crime that has brought untold misfortune to the American people. The St. Louis convention has resolved to maintain that fraudulent law and perpetuate its evil results. The Chicago convention has resolved to blot it from the record and remove as far as possible the evils it has produced.

THE CRIME OF 1873.

According to the statement of judge Kelly, given above, the silver bill, when it left the hands of the Committee on Coinage, did not demonetize the silver dollar. On the contrary, it made provision for its continued coinage. After the bill was passed it was discovered that the provision for the silver dollar was omitted—had been surreptitiously omitted from the document! Here we have the crime of '73. Who did this nefarious work? By whose request or suggestion was it that this doctored substitute for the original printed bill was not read in the House? Whe shut off debate by a demand for the previous question?

To bring a crime home to its perpetrator the first question asked is: who is benefitted by it? The foreign and Wall street bondholders made millions by it. This fact of itself is enough to convict, but it affords a clew. With

THE CLEW IN HAND,

We introduce Mr. Earnest Seyd into the conspiracy. A writer, quoted by Samuel Leavitt in his book, "Our Money Wars," says:

"The English capitalists raised $500-000 and sent one Earnest Seyd to America to have silver demonetized. He came. In the bill was skillfully inserted a clause demonetizing silver.

Before the bill passed a member of the committee which had the bill in charge said that 'Ernest Seyd, of London, a distinguished writer and bullionist, who is now here, had given great attention to mint coinage. After having examined the first draft of this bill he had made various sensible suggestions which have been embodied in the bill.'—(Congressioeal Record, April 9, 1872.)"

As Ernest Seyd is an important and interesting character in this conspiracy we will follow him to London and see what he has to say about his missionary work in America.

In 1892 Frederick A. Luckenbach, a former member of the New York Stock exchange,

MADE AN AFFIDAVIT

in which the following statements occurred:

"In 1865 I visited London, England, for the purpose of placing there Pennsylvania oil properties, in which I was interested. I took with me letters of introduction to many gentlemen in London, among them one to Mr. Earest Seyd, from Robert M. Faust, ex-Treasurer of Philadelphia. I became well acquainted with Mr. Seyd and with his brother, Richard Seyd, who, I understand is yet living. I visited London thereafter every year and with every visit renewed my acquaintance with Mr. Seyd. In February 1874, while on one of these visits, and while his guest at dinner, I, among other things, alluded to rumors afloat of parliamentary corruption, and expressed astonishment that such corruption should exist. In reply he told me he could relate facts about the American Congress that would place it far ahead of English Parliament in that line. After dinner he invited me into another room, where he resumed the conversation about legislative corruption. He said. "If you will pledge me your honor as a gentleman not to divulge what I am going to tell you while I live, I will convince you what I said

ABOUT THE CORRUPTION

Of the American Congress is true.' I gave him my promise, and he then continued: 'I went to America in 1872-3, authorized to secure, it I could the passage of a bill demonetizing silver. It was to the interest of those whom I represented—the Governors of the Bank of England—to have it done. I took with me $500,000, with instructions if that was not sufficient to accomplish the object to draw for another $500,000 or as much more as was necessary. I saw the committees of the House and Senate and paid the money, and staid in America until I knew the measure was safe. Your people will not now comprehend the far reaching extent of that measure, but they will in after years. Whatever you may think of corruption in the English Parliament, I assure you I would not have dared to make such an attempt here as I did in your country."

Such is Ernest Seyd's confession; such the history of the "Crime of 1873;" such the way in which the standard dollar was dropped from our coinage.

Strange and incredible as it may seem, the platform of the St. Louis convention maintains as a party principle that the law thus passed by the intrigue of English capitalist must not be abolished without the consent of those same conspirators against the welfare of the American people! Our national honor, we are told, requires that we must continue indefinitely to suffer the evil results of that criminal conspiracy. Every effort to free ourselves from the iniquitous burden is called repudiation. In view of this things, it is not difficult to understand the intense earnestness and enthusiasm of the common people at the Chicago Convention and the brusque manner in which they treated the professional politicians, the political hacks, the pliant tools of the organized and conspiring wealth that caused the evils of which the laboring people are the victims."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. Gaillouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with la grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We don't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial bottle at W. S. Lloyd's drugstore.

The Enquirer says: "The bolters' convention at Indianapolis has fallen into the hands of the Republicans, just as everybody thought it would. No one seems to want his name used on the ticket; not even Big Thunder Watterson, the editor of the Courier-Jay-Hawker. The cry is, 'who shall be king?' which cannot be answered until a man is found who is not ashamed of being a traitor."

INCONSISTENCY.—When Hart County had her convention to send delegates to the State convention, because there were some who advocated the free and unlimited coinage of silver Ex-Governor S. B. Buckner presented a resolution which was adopted binding all participants in the convention to support the Democratic nominee, and now, in the face of his own resolution, he refuses to support the Democratic standard bearer.

I. O. O. F.

Grand Master Meredith Visits Watson Lodge.

A Most Enjoyable Visit From an Able Officer.

On Saturday evening Watson Lodge, No. 32, I. O. O. F. met in called session for the purpose of receiving a visit from Dr. C. P. Meredith, Grand Master of the State. When the Grand Master reached the Lodge room he found a large attendance of the membership to greet him. Immediately after his reception the Grand Master look the floor and delivered an address that no Odd-Fellow could afford to miss. Full of encouragement and instruction, replete with beautiful thoughts and adorned with lively imagery, he left by reason of his visit a deep impression upon the membership of the Lodge. After the address a lodge of instruction was opened and the secret work thoroughly and carefully exemplified.

Dr. Meredith is a warm advocate of the building of a Widow's and Orphan's Home, and after hearing his appeal for such an asylum not an Odd Fellow but was heartily in favor of the proposed building.

Grand Master Meredith made many warm friends during his visit here. He made the acquaintance of a number of his wife's relatives, among them Messrs. H. Judy and R. M. and D. L. Smith. On Saturday, Past Grand Master T. F. Rogers handsomely entertained the Grand Master, and it goes without the saying that Mrs. Rogers and the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the house, Miss Charlotte, did all to make their guest have a pleasant remembrance of his visit. Mr. A. H. Judy and wife entertained Dr. M. at their elegant home on Sunday, and altogether the Grand Master's stay in Mt. Sterling was a most agreeable one.

Grand Master Meredith left yesterday morning for Winchester and Paris, where he visits the Lodges and will return here Wednesday to be with Grassy Lick Lodge Wednesday evening.

Dr. Meredith, who is a practicing physician in Louisville, some time in April closed his office in order to give his entire time (till the end of his term of office in October next), to the work of visiting and upbuilding the Lodges of the order in his jurisdiction. He has visited to this date more than one hundred Lodges in the State, and has done a work no Grand officer before him has been able to accomplish. He reports the order in general in splendid working condition in the State, and when he closes his term of office he will turn over the Order in Kentucky, to his successor, in a vastly better condition than he found it. By the efficient service Grand Master Meredith has given the work in this jurisdiction. he has conclusively proven the Order made no mistake in placing him in the Grand Master's chair.

Gray Hair Made Dark.

I saw in your paper a statement that Zulu Vulier would restore any head of hair to natural color in three weeks. As I was very gray I sent for a sample package, and in less than three weeks my hair was perfectly restored to natural color. My wife's hair was a light red, and by using Zulu Vulier, her hair is now a beautiful auburn. Any one can get a sample package of Zulu Vulier by sending 21 two-cent stamps to Wilson & Co., New Concord, Ohio, and if it does not satisfy you perfectly they will return your stamps.

A READER.

FOUND DEAD.

One of Mt. Sterltng's Good Women —Tired of Troubles.

On last Tuesday morning about 7 o'clock, the body of Mrs. Mary Lou, widow of George Gibson, was found, a ghastly sigtht, on the floor of a room over her sleeping apartment cold in death, with a bullet hole in her right temple. A thirty-two caliber pistol, one chamber of which was empty, an open razor, a pen knife and a bottle of carbolic acid by her side could have told the sad story had not a word been left.

To Mrs. B. F. Dorsey, an intimate friend, she had said that she had many troubles; they were unbearable and that she was tired of living. She left a note for her which told the same story. Another note was found asking the Equitable Life Insurance company to transfer her life policy. $2,000, to her mother; and still another note was left to her father. Mrs. Gibson was an estimable woman with a big heart and willing hands in time of need and trouble. For some time she had been in a poor state of healtn. After suffering intensely with her head, and this together with troubles which only she and those nearest to her knew, drove her to the fatal act. The world is full of troubles and we know not who are bearing the heavyest. The scriptural injunction, "bear ye one another's burdens," is not observed as it should be. She leaves one child, Owen, a little son eight years old, who does not know his loss. God care for the orphan boy is the prayer of all christians.

The Montgomery County Institute.

Met at the Public School building on last Monday morning at 10:45, with an address from Mr. O. C. Fleshman, instructor, from Winchester.

Mr. I. N. Horton was made Chairman and Miss Josie Lauth, Secretary.

Committee on Resolutions, Miss Mattie Donohue, Pearl Bruton and Mrs. J. H. Gillispie.

The programme in the Syllabus was adopted for this session of the Institute, and each subject in order was thoroughly discussed by instructor and teachers. There was much interest taken in this meeting and real profit was derived. Mr. Fleshman proved himself an excellent instructor and every subject which came before the institute he proved himself thoroughly posted with a large store of valuable information.

Miss Mattie Donohue, Pearl Bruton, Mary Anderson and Mrs. J. H. Gillispie were appointed Vice Presidents of the County Teachers' Association, and Misses Pearl Bruton, Georgia Sledd and Mrs. S. W. Gaitskill, Library Committee.

Circuit Court.

Circuit Court begins September 7. The docket is as follows:

Numuer of continued Equity cases, 250.

Number of appearances in Equity cases, 43.

Number Common Law continued cases, 68.

Number Common Law appearances 44.

Number of Commonwealth cases, 64.

This is the smallest docket for years for the fall term of the Circuit Court.

Parthenia Bragg, is the name of an old negro woman who lives six miles from Versailles in a negro settlement called Frogtown. The old woman is in her 120th year, and is very proud of it. She was a servant of the Hamiltons, and Daniel Boone was one of her first acquaintances. In childhood she nursed and played with Henry Clay. Her progeny includes grandchildren, great and great-great-grandchildren, that numbers about 200. The old woman is without teeth and thinks everybody would be better off had they never had teeth. She is ambitious to live until 1900, when she will have seen three centuries.

Revs. R. A. Thomson and George H. Shepherd, students at Georgetown from this county, closed a protracted meeting at Macedona on last Sunday night. Nine persons were receivep into the church. Seven by baptism, one by restoratlon and one by letter. The ordinance of baptism was administered by Rev. Richard French, of Winchester.

Great Closing Out Sale at ENOCH'S BARGAIN HOUSE Still Goes On.

$10 Goods go at............	$7 00
$7.50 Goods go at..........	5 50
$5.00 Goods go at..........	3 50
$2.50 Goods go at..........	1 75
$1.00 Goods go at..........	70
50c Goods go at............	37
25c Goods go at............	18
10c Goods go at............	7½
5c Goods go 3 for..........	10

LOTS OF GOODS MUCH LESS. CALL AT ONCE AND LAY IN A YEAR'S SUPPLY.

Enoch's Bargain House,

MAIN STREET

MT. STERLING, KY.

A Good Wind Mill—Make it Yourself

I made one of the people's wind mills which I saw recommended in your paper recently, it only cost me $9.40 and is a splendid mill; my well is deep, but it pumps it all right and with very little wind; the neighbors all like it, and as I am a kind of a carpenter, I have agreed to put up nine mills already, on which I can make a nice profit, and there are many others for whom I can put up mills this fall. I don't see why every farmer should not have a wind mill, when they can make it themselves for less than $10, any one can get diagrams and complete directions for making the wind mill by sending 18 two-cent stamps to pay postage, etc., to E. D. Wilson & Co., Allegheny, Pa., and there can be dozens of them put up in any locality any one who has the energy to do it.

A FARMER.

On Thursday night at 7 o'clock at the Levee a Bryan Club will be organized. Speakers will be there to dress the meeting. Let everybody who wants a hand in electing Bryan come.

New Coal Firm.

We have bought the Indian Creek Coal Co's business in Mt. Sterling, on Sycamore street, on railroad, and have exclusive sale of their famous product. We have in stock and in transit, Indian Creek, Eureka, Peach Orchard and Davy's Run Coals, lump and nut.

Our prices will be lowest, our service honest, and our terms cash, or thirty days. We can not give longer time than this to anybody, and, owing to our limited capital, will not charge coal to anybody who is not responsible. Soliciting your trade, we are

Respectfully,

DUTY & STEPHENS.

NOTE:—72 pounds of coal make one bushel. All orders left at W. W. Sutton's meat store will receive prompt attention. 2-2t

Hon. W. C. Owens, Congressman of the Seventh district, has withdrawn from the race for Congress.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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of Nebraska.

For Vice-President of the United States.
ARTHUR SEWALL,
of Maine.

Congressional.

For Congressman, Tenth District,
T. Y. FITZPATRICK,
Of Floyd County.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Circuit Judge.

We are authorized to announce
JUDGE B. F. DAY,
as a candidate for Circuit Court Judge of this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
M. S. TYLER,
as a candidate for Circuit Court Judge of this the 21st Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
C. W. NESBIT,
of Bath County, as a Candidate for Circuit Court Judge in this Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For Commonwealth's Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
J. H. WILLIAMS,
of Menefee, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 21st Judicial District, composed of the counties of Bath, Montgomery, Menefee and Rowan, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
WILL. A. YOUNG,
of Rowan, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 21st Judicial District, (Rowan, Menefee, Montgomery and Bath). Mr. Young submits his claims to the action of the Democratic party.

For Circuit Clerk.

We are anthorized to announce
NEWTON R. BRIGHT
As a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

County Court Clerk.

We aro authorized to announce
J. L. HAINLINE
as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
THOS. D. JONES
as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Montgomery county, subject to the action of the Democratic party,

We are authorized to announce
H. C. GILLISPIE
As a candidate for County Court Clerk of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
EGBERT G. COONS
as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

City Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN B. PHIPPS
as a candidate for the office of City Attorney of the city of Mt. Sterling, subject to the action of the Democratic party. November election 1897.

For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce
W. T. STOKLEY
As a candidate for Jailer of Montgomery County subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For County Assessor.

We are authorized to announce
W. F. BYRD,
as a candidate for Assessor of this county subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
H. C. RATLIFF
as a Candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

John D. White, who has given notice that he will contest the nomination of Colson, has agreed to submit the political controversy to a committee composed of Judges Clark, Moris and Burnham.

Read every article on the second page of this issue. The county is being flooded by literature gotten up for the money kings and sent out by them for their own selfish interests, but there are no powers on earth that will turn the minds of an oppressed people. Too long have they been chained by the money kings.

At a meeting of a McKinley club at Paducah a negro got the floor and made a demand for some of the spoils of the offices. He claimed that the Republican party did not free the negroes; that they carried guns and fought for their own freedom. He was pulled down by his Republican brethren and not allowed to make any further statements.

Ernest Seyd

Was one of the most unique characters of this century. While yet young he had written and talked enough to establish a reputation over two hemispheres for financial wisdom and philanthropy. Under the sacred impulse of international patriotism he came to this country in 1873 to deliver us from the galling bondage of a silver standard. His London syndicate of bondholders and bankers entrusted him with five hundred thousand dollars for missionary work in the American Congress. Mr. Seyd was very insinuating and gracious. He had universal access to committee rooms and secret chambers. Learned Congressmen quoted him in their speeches as final authority on matters of finance. The new coinage bill gained free course because it was announced in Congress that Dr. Seyd had graciously given it some artistic touches in the committee.

Dr. Seyd returned to London without his $500,000, but his clients in London were five hundred millions richer. In a confidential mood he said with a chuckle: "In a few years they will realize what they have done." We know now. Ever since the discovery of the contents of Dr. Seyd's gold-coated pill Congressmen have been protesting their ignorance of its nature. The gold party now hold that honor and salvation require us to continue to take Dr. Seyd's medicine in his infamous bill of 1873, until the European syndicate sends over another man to help us quit. Ernest Seyd is dead, but John P. Morgan and his European syndicate are attending to his business. They cannot "fool all the people all the time."

"Congressman Josiah Patterson, of Tennessee, who stumped a number of States in behalf of sound money, and who was probably the ablest man in that faction of the party, has come out frankly and loyally for the Democratic ticket, and he comments on the White letter as follows: "I have read Andrew D. White's letter addressed to myself and other Democrats. My answer is I have no guarantee that the Republican party will not mean in the future all it has meant in the past. As much as I deplore the action of the Chicago convention, I will not bolt or abandon the Democratic party. My tradition and association are all with it, and I shall continue to espouse the cause of sound money and sound Democracy in the councils of that party. If I cannot correct abuses there I am powerless to correct them elsewhere." There's a noble old Roman, if ever there was one."

Mr. Patterson will be remembered as the gentleman who made speeches in this State favoring the gold standard, but for all that he is a true Democrat who thinks party differences should be settled within our own party. We can not gain anything by going over to the Republican camp with our troubles.

In the history of the Appellate Court of Kentucky, probably none of its judges has, in such short time, ever won such golden opinions from the legal profession throughout our State, as our own large brained and large hearted Judge Hazelrigg. To those of us who know his eminent fitness for the position to which we elected him, this comes as no surprise. It was easy for us to prophesy the distinguished rank he would take and maintain as a jurist in our Court of Appeals.

We observe that the learned Judge Toney, of Louisville, in handing down a recent opinion, flung this boquet at him: "Mr Justice Hazelrigg is one of the most enlightened jurists that ever adorned the Appellate bench of this State, or of any State in the union."

We don't intend to place ourselves in contempt of one of Judge Toney's opinions.

Washington's farewell address warns Americans against "entangling alliances" with foreign nations. The Republican party recognizes the evil of the "alliance" in which Ernest Seyd's golden ingenuity entangled us, but wants us to wait for the European syndicate to "untangle" us. Keep your eye on Bryan and you will see us untangle without the consent or aid of Europe. Brethren, join the procession for the second Yorktown. Tories to the rear.

Help

Is needed by poor, tired mothers, overworked and burdened with care, debilitated and run down because of poor, thin and impoverished blood. Help is needed by the nervous sufferer, the men and women tortured with rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, scrofula, catarrh. Help

Comes Quickly

When Hood's Sarsaparilla begins to enrich, purify and vitalize the blood, and sends it in a healing, nourishing, invigorating stream to the nerves, muscles and organs of the body. Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up the weak and broken down system, and cures all blood diseases, because

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Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Old Fashioned Democracy.

The convention that nominated the last Democratic governor of Kentucky declared this to be Democracy:

"Recognizing the fact that the U. S. is the greatest silver producing country in the world, that both gold and silver were equally the money of the Constitution from the beginning of the Republic until the hostile and fraudulent legislation of the Republican party against silver, * * * * * We tender our gratitude to the Democrats in the last Congress for their almost unanimous votes in both houses in favor of the free coinage of silver, and demand its restoration to the position of equality before the law given to it by our fathers."

On such a free silver platform we marched to the polls and carried John Young Brown to the Capitol with a plurality of 28,000 notwithstanding the defection of 25,600 Populists who voted for Erwin.

This platform of 1891 is in line with the State and National platform of 1896.

We stand to-day behind the impregnable bulwarks of argument, built up by Carlisle, Beck and a gallant host of brilliant men who stood for popular rights. No contempt is poured upon the misguided man who deserts his party and affiliates with its enemies because of changed convictions; but when he says he must bolt to the enemy to save his Democracy his frisky conceit and unconscionable arrogance make us laugh.

Bob Jenkyn was very familiar and patronizing in Dick Roe's family until the old man evinced some desire to regulate his own family affairs. Mr. Jenkyn, having failed to win the daughter, stole the brass doorplate and eloped with the chambermaid of doubtful genealogy, but white as a Caucasion.

Renting a stylish house on a front street, he installed the maid within, fastened to the dorr the brass plate inscribed with the legend "Reridence of Dr. Roe," seated himself on the front porch, hired a brass band, and with proud confidence awaited results. Soon, Mr Roe, halting in front of the house, looked compassionately on the proud proprietor and said: "Bob, you incurable fool, you may keep that nigger and the brass plate, but you have got to scratch my name off."

We shall do better than Mr. Roe; we say to our fallen brothers: Boys, you will need some memento from the good old homestead. If you cannot take the good old principles of Democracy, probably the name will be a comfort to you in your wanderings—take the doorplate and go in peace!

From Jefferson to Bryan stretches the shining sheen of unbroken testimony to the truth and utility of the Democratic doctrine emphasized in the Chicago platform. Kentucky has furnished some of its ablest defenders in recent years. Scarcely eighteen years ago that intellectual giant, John G. Carlisle, stood in the halls of Congress and welded a chain of argument he has tried in vain for three years to break. Beck, in the senate was its illustrious champion. Gov. McCreary gave it his untiring support in those years and is still faithful to-day. Beck has gone to the eternal world and John G. Carlisle to Wall street. Other "Generals" have died or deserted to the enemy, but their works still live. The people, with new leaders, will carry the old principles and policies to the White House.

A convention will be held in Indianapolis this week, and will be called to order Wednesday at 12 o'clock. What the name of this party will be is yet unknown. Mr. E. S. Cunningham is one of the delegates from the 10th district.

TRAGEDY.

The Sad Ending of a Good and Honest Man.

On last Tuesday afternoon, at about 3 o'clock, Mr. James H. (Poke) Smith took his own life with the use of a forty-four derringer pistol, which he placed near the right temple. Death was instant and without a struggle. He was found about thirty minutes after the shot was fired sitting in an armed chair in front of a small mirror with the pistol grasped in his right hand. No reason was assigned for the rash act. He had been a great sufferer from neuralgia for several years, and it is supposed that while suffering with intense paroxysm his mind was dethroned and he fired the fatal shot. Mr. Smith lived about six miles from this city on the old home farm, was a bachelor, fifty-four years old, and was one of our best and most highly esteemed citizens. After service at the grave by Elder W. T. Tibbs he was burried with Masonic honors. He had been a leading farmer and for twenty years bought horses and mules here and sold them on the Southern markets.

Did You Ever Make Money Easy?

Mr. Editor.—I have read how Mr C. E. B. made so much money in the Dish Washer business and think I have beat him. I am very young yet and have had little experience in selling goods, but have made over eight hundred dollars in ten weeks selling dish washers. It is simply wonderful how easy it is to sell them. All you have to do is to show the ladies how they work and they cannot help but buy one. For the benefit of others I will state that I got my start from the Mound City Dish Washer Co., St. Louis, Mo. Write to them and they will send you full particulars.

I think I can clear over $3,000 the coming year, and I am not going to let the opportunity pass. Try it and publish your success for the benefit of others.

J. F. C.

Mr. Gill, Pastor of the Baptist Church, Improving.

The latest information regarding the condition of Rev. Everette Gill, was received on yesterday. While Mr. Gill has improved, it has been very slow, and he is very weak and nervous. The doctors in charge think he has done as well as could be expected under the circumstances, and with careful attention, he will recover. His friends here are very anxious about him and with anxiety wait for the mails. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Williams, and her two daughters, left Charlettsville Monday and will arrive here to-day. With her family she will leave for their home in St. Louis Friday.

Under the most favorable circumstances Mr. Gill will not be able to return here for at least three weeks.

A Cure For Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of headache, Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Fifty cents and $1 at W. S. Lloyd's drugstore.

Mr. Thos. H. Fox, formerly of this county, will start a Democratic paper at Danville. It will support Bryan, Sewall and the Chicago platform. Mr. Fox is a good writer and will be a strong exponent of Democratic principles.

Some people say they can't go any where in Kentucky without hearing from the silver men, so great is the enthusiasm. But the silver cause in Kentucky is nothing to compare with that of Tennessee.

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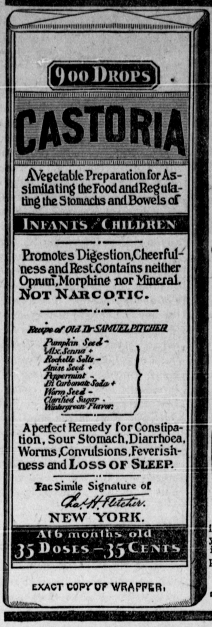
One aged dark bay mare with sore on right shoulder, and one light bay horse with snip nose. Any one giving information that will lead to the recovery of same will be liberally rewarded.

J. J. SCOTT,
North Middletown, Ky.

Stray.

I have in my possession one mile from Mt. Sterling a stray hog, black. Owner can have same by proving, paying damages and for this notice.

WILLIAM ECTON.



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What a Funny Name!
Very True, but it Kills All Pain.
Sold Everywhere. Every Day—
Without Relief, There is No Pay

Mrs. Addie Jephson's Music Class will begin its next term at her home on Maysville Street, on Tuesday, September 2, 1896. Mrs. Jephson is a thoroughly tried and experienced teacher, whose marked success is to be found in the many excellent musicians who have gone out from among her pupils. Those parents and guardians who desire to give their children or their wards first-class advantages, would do well to call on Mrs. Jephson. 3-tf

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A lot of nice 140-pound hogs (home raised). These hogs are healthy and in good shape to feed.

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Desirable rooms for rent, cheap.
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Best seed wheat, and feed at
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Will some of your readers give me a good recipe for making cold starch? I am selling self-heating flat irons, and iron a little at every house and have to use some starch every place and want to know how to make good cold starch. My husband was in debt and I being anxious to help him thought I would self-heating flat irons, and I am doing splendidly. A cent's worth of fuel will heat the iron for three hours, so you have a perfectly even heat. You can iron in half the time and no danger of scorching the clothes as with the old iron, and you can get the most beautiful gloss. I sell at nearly every house, as the iron saves so much fuel everybody wants one. I make $1.50 on each iron and have not sold less than ten a day I worked. My brother is doing well and I think any one can make lots of money anywhere selling irons. J. F. Casey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., will start anyone in the business, as they did me if you will address them.

MRS. A. RUSSELL.

The American Association, which owns 80,000 acres of land near Middiesbourgh, 20,000 of which is fine burley tobacco land, has decided to import 100 tenants from the Bluegrass section in order to cuitivate their lands in tobacco.

About fifty teachers attended the Bath county Teachers Institute at Owingsville last week.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

On Tuesday, September 15, '96

At 10 o'clock a. m. on the premises of John R. Blount, lately deceased, the undersigned Executors will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, a lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture, Agricultural Implements, Horses and Cattle, and growing crop of Corn, Oats, etc.

The purchasers of corn can have privilege of feeding same in field.

Terms of sale: Cash for all sums under $10; three months note with good security for sums over that amount.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. W. P. Guthrie is quite sick.

W. W. Means, of Rothwell, was in the city Monday.

Miss Florence Wyatt has returned from a visit to Cynthiana.

Mat Tyler and Tom Goodwin were in Sharpsburg Wednesday.

The Mt. Sterling Collegiate school for girls will open tomorrow.

Miss Ree Bouuvarall, of Waco, Texis visiting at Mrs. Mary Gatewood's.

W. A. Sutton and family visited in Flemingsburg Saturday until Monday.

Dr. B. Johnson, of Winchester, who has been quite sick, is very much better.

Judge Irvine Halsey and wife are visiting friends and relatives in the county.

Mr. C. L. Carlisle and wife of Covington are the guests of Miss Rebecca Willson.

Norvell T. Benton has returned from a week's sojourn in Paris and Carlisle.

Dr. Taylor, of Winchester, well known to many of our citizens, is quite sick.

Mr. A. J. Arrick and wife visited Miss Sue Caldwell at Sharpsburg last week.

Mrs. James B. Tipton, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, is improving.

Mrs. C. J. Nugent has returned from a very pleasant visit to Fleming county and Paris.

Mrs. Laura Yates, of Waco, Texas, will be a guest at Mrs. Mary Gatewood's this week.

Misses Elizabeth and Hattie Apperson have returned from a visit to relatives in Maysville.

Hon. B. F. Cockrell will leave today for Put-In-Bay and will be absent for several weeks.

Miss Ida Hardman, of Wade's Mill, is visiting the Misses Turley, at their home near this city.

Miss Mary Rash, of North Middletown, is the guest of Miss Bertie Cloud on Harrison avenue.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, who has been quite sick for the past few weeks, has very much improved.

Mrs. Irving Holsey, of Lexington, is visiting her neice, Mrs. W. O. Chenault, in this county.

Miss Bertie Cloud will entertain Thursday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Mary Rash.

M. A. Tyler, son of W. F. Tyler, having stood the examination, will attend the K. M. I. this session.

Misses Carrie Green and Mary Pratt Hedden will leave next Monday to attend Georgetown College.

Mr. George H. Sehorn passed through the city from Lexington en route to Washington, D. C. Thursday.

Misses May Bell and Winfield Hostetter, of Lexington, are the guests of Miss Effie Green, on Harrison avenue.

Misses Wilson and Jouett, of Cynthiana, and Miss Swetnam, of Catlettsburg are visiting Mrs. S. K. Ford.

Mrs. Mary Gatewood returned from Winchester, last week, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Taylor.

Mr. Richard Stofer and wife left Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Stofer's sister Mrs. James McKee at Indianapolis.

Miss Marion Hadden, of near Grassy Lick will visit the Misses Orear at their home on Winn street this week.

C. C. Chenault and wife, and Tanday Chenault visited the family of Joe. Chenault at Bowen, Powell county last week.

Gov. Bradley has appointed Phelps Tyler, son of M. S. Tyler, to a scholarship in the K. M. I., at Lyndon, near Louisville.

W. R. Tabor, of Rothwell, was in the city Monday enroute for Louisville, where he will lay in his fall stock for his stores.

Miss Jane Stinson is visiting relatives in Jessamine and Fayette and will go to the City to post herself on the new styles before she returns home.

Miss Anna Bean, of Winchester, Miss Lala Whitsitt, of near Paris, and Miss Grace Moberly of this county have been the guests of Mrs. B. F. Herriott this week.

Oliver Howell, Allen and Eugene Prewitt, Robt. Catlett and ——Hall left yesterday morning for Louisville, where they will attend school at the K. M. I.

Mrs. W. D. Minnick, of Morehead was in the city last Thursday on business. She went from here to Lexington where she will visit Mrs. John Cavens.

Robert Thompson, of Memphis, Tenn, formerly of this city, where he spent his young manhood and did his early courting was here last week with friends.

W. F. Hibler, went to Paris, Saturday, where he joined his wife and children who are visiting friend in Bourbon county. Mr. Hibler returned home to-day.

Mr. Clarence Nugent leaves to-day for Winchester to attend the Wesleyan college His record last year was the best, and we shall expect to hear good reports this year.

The Misses Mason entertained at their home near Grassy Lick on last Friday evening in royal style. There were about seventy youngsters present, and "a pleasant time" was the verdict of all.

John S. W. Holloway, of Atlanta, Ga., and James Holloway, of Winchester, sons of Senator J. H. Holloway, spent from Saturday until Monday with their grandfather, Gen. J. S. Williams.

I have berries, grapes and peaches a year old, fresh as when picked. I use the California Cold process, do not heat or seal the fruit, just put it up cold, keeps perfectly fresh and costs almost nothing; can put up a bushel in ten minutes. Last week I sold directions to over 120 families; anyone will pay a dollar for directions when they see the beautiful samples of fruit. As there are many people poor like myself, I consider it my duty to give my experience to such, and feel confident any one can make one or two hundred dollars round home in a few days. I will mail sample of fruit and complete directions, to any of your readers, for eighteen two-cent stamps, which is only the actual cost of the samples, postage, etc., to me.

FRANCIS CASEY,
46-13t St. Louis, Mo.

Spoons Free to All.

I read in the Christian Standard that Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A., St. Louis, Mo., would give an elegant plated hook spoon to any one sending her ten two-cent stamps. I sent for and found it so useful that I showed it to my friends, and made $13 in two hours, taking orders for the spoon. The hook spoon is a household necessity. It cannot slip into the dish or cooking vessel, being held in place by a hook on the back. The spoon is something housekeepers have needed ever since spoons were first invented. Any one can get a sample spoon by sending ten 2-cent stamps to Miss Fritz. This is a splendid way to make money around home.

Very Truly,
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Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the blood and gives a clear and beautiful complexion. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

What stops Neuralgia? Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

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profits these days on all summer goods. For the CASH we will close some things at actual COST. Give us a chance to prove it.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

Levee

William Ficklin is quite feeble.

Stock hogs are scarce in this section.

Our farmers are cutting and housing tobacco.

The grape crop around here has been enormous this year.

Miss Lucy Garrett is visiting relatives in Harrison county.

W. E. Heflin, of Spout Springs, sold T. J. Douglas four yearling steers for $107.50.

The whereabouts of the horse stolen from T. J. Douglas has been ascertained.

A. J. Ware bought a washing machine from an agent to be paid for when McKinley is elected.

Ben Young has delivered about 400 bushels of charcoal to parties near Mt. Sterling to be used in curing tobacco.

Sam Hainline bought 40 head of 900 pound cattle from James W. McKinney, of Spout Springs, Ky., at $3\frac{1}{2}$ cents.

It is amusing to hear the "millionaires" about this place talking about what dire calamities will befall this country if Bryan is elected.

We were sorry to learn through the columns of the ADVOCATE of the serious illness of Rev. Everette Gill. We hope ere this that he has been fully restored to health.

Revs. Shepherd and R. A. Thomson have been holding a protracted meeting at Macedonia church for the past two weeks, which resulted in seven additions up to Saturday. They had crowded houses and were listened to with marked attention. They worked zealously and the Lord has given them souls for their hire. Press forward my young brethren and you will in the near future make your mark in your chosen profession. May God be with you.

Money Made in a Minute.

I have not made less than sixteen dollars any day while selling Centrifugal Ice Cream Freezers. Any one should make from five to eight dollars a day selling cream, and from seven to ten dollars selling freezers, as it is such a wonder, there is always a crowd wanting cream. You can freeze cream elegantly in one minute and that astonishes people so they all want to taste it and then many of them buy freezers as the cream is smooth and perfectly frozen. Every freezer is guaranteed to freeze cream perfectly in one minute. Any one can sell ice cream and the freezer sells itself. My sister makes from ten to fifteen dollars a day. J. F. Casey & Co., 1143 St. Charles St. Louis, Mo., will mail you full particulars free, so you can go to work and make lots of money anywhere as with one freezer you can make a hundred gallons of cream a day, or if you wish they hire you on a salary.

MARY A.

Grassy Lick Lodge.

Grand Master C. P. Meredith will visit Grassy Lick Lodge I. O. O. F., on Wednesday, to-morrow, night. A full attendance of the membership is urged. Let every member be present to greet the Grand Master on his official visitation.

Are You Tired

All the time? This condition is a sure indication that your blood is not rich and nourishing as it ought to be and as it may be if you will take few bottles of the great blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands write that Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured them of that tired feeling by giving them rich, red blood.

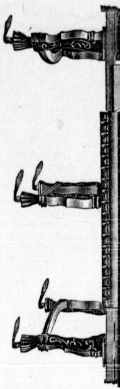
Officers made a wholesale arrest of crap shooters Saturday night.

Miss Rannie Burroughs will open her school Monday, September 7.

Headache and *Neuralgia* cured by Dr. MILES' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose."

W. A. Sutton

has just received the nicest line of CARPETS AND MATTINGS ever brought to this city. The brand of carpets always tells what they are. Ask about ROCKBURY TAPESESTRY BRUSSELS. I do not try to meet prices on cheap goods as I do not keep them, but am glad to meet prices on standard goods. Also fancy line of ROCKERS, FURNITURE



and something new in WINDOW SHADES. Call and see me and I shall certainly interest you. All goods guaranteed as represented.

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WANTED!

We are always paying the highest cash price for GINSENG AND GOLDEN SEAL. You save all commissions and freight charges by shipping your goods direct to us. We guarantee true and just weight, and remit cash same day goods are received. Cut this out and save it, as you may need it later.

Reference: National Bank of Commerce, or any wholesale druggist in our city. Established 1870.

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For Sale by THOS. KENNEDY.

$100
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We have three strictly high-grade Wheels that we offer considerably under cost to close out. Our guarantee goes with them.

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NEW HOTEL,
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Fine Sleeping Rooms,
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The best of everything and no fancy prices. 6-1y

Farm For Sale.

I offer for sale my farm of 45 acres adjoining town, upon which are many beautiful sites for residences. Will divide it in lots to suit purchasers.

5-2t J. G. TRIMBLE.

For Sale.

Choice Fultz wheat.
5-tf W. A. SUTTON.

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HOME
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BEST STOCK AND ANY STYLE DESIRED. . . .

Best Calf, peged to fit the foot	$4 50
Best Calf, hand sewed	5 50
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Best Calf boot, sewed	9 00

These Goods are first-class in every respect, and a fit is guaranteed.

Leather PRESERVER of my own make, properly used on shoes will wear much loner; 10 and 25c per box.

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South Maysville Street,
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GOLD MEANS REPUDIATION.

The Real Contest Now Before the People.

TO MAINTAIN THE DIVINE LAW.

That "the Laborer Is Worthy of His Hire"—Under Silver the People Made Money; Under Gold They Have Reached Bottom Conditions—We Must Have Fair Prices For Domestic Products.

In these opening days of our presidential campaign we hear a great deal about "repudiation." The word is used as glibly as if it were as harmless as any of the epithets employed for campaign purposes. One would think, from the frequent use of the term by those who advocate the single gold standard, that the people who are favoring the full remonetization of silver by restoring it to the free coinage rights which it always had until they were surreptitiously destroyed in 1873 were working to bring about repudiation. The United States has not a dollar of paper money that is not redeemable in silver, nor has it ever had a dollar of bonded debt not lawfully payable, by its express terms, in coin of the weight and fineness of 1870, when our "unit of money" was the silver dollar and silver, not gold, was the legal standard of measure. When we consider the vastness of our debt and the fact that it must be paid out of the profit of earnings on production, those who talk so freely of repudiation are playing with fire in a place crowded with combustibles.

There is a real repudiation, a fundamental repudiation, the repudiation of the divine law that "the laborer is worthy of his hire," which the people are now fighting against by trying to give to the exchange of products the help of silver, which will allow some profit out of which debt can be paid. There is no other way to pay it. It must be paid that way or not at all. The people who are trying to continue the gold policy, which has already reduced prices of products to or below cost line, and which, if kept up, must inevitably destroy our ability to pay our debts, are working for repudiation—for fundamental repudiation, for undermining the foundation of sound and solvent conditions. If that is done, then the superstructure of debt built on the earnings of the people must crumble and fall.

If we were like England, a country having insufficient natural wealth to sustain our people; if we were just a bank and a workshop, having to go all over the world for food to supply our population, for material which their skill could fashion for man's uses and which our ships could then distribute and peddle out; if we owed no debts, but were the creditor nation of the world—then, as a cold blooded, business proposition, irrespective of fairness or moral rights, it might be "business" to work the people of other countries and live and get rich off the sweat of the brows of other people, and in a cold blooded, business way we might push that advantage to the limit which still permitted our debtors to earn enough over living expenses to meet interest and principal on credits we had granted them. If we went farther, we should be destroying the goose that laid our golden egg. The gold standard people are now choking their goose mighty tight.

But we are a great continent, with over 70,000,000 of people, with our whole land interlaced by rivers, checked over by crossing railway lines, surrounded by seas. Our natural wealth is only scratched on the outcrop. If we can have fair prices for our domestic products in our domestic market, we can carry our debts and win out. If our increase of production and exchange is done at constantly lowering prices, which leave no margin of profit, we must inevitably fail. Twenty-three years of gold has brought us to rock bottom conditions. Under silver we made money. With its help we shall make money again. Our people cannot afford to fail. They are, therefore, determined on a change of financial policy, on a policy suited to our needs as a surplus and selling country, which will make solvency possible. This calls for the help of silver, with full rights of free coinage at our mints at its existing ratio of 16 to 1. There is nothing dishonest in that when the rest of the world uses it at 15½ to 1. That Wall street still talks about "53 cent dollars" only proves that Wall street has not yet got out of the elementary class. Bitter experience, a hard school, has given the producers a more advanced education.—New York Daily Financial News.

How would the American workingman like to have a single gold standard and German wages, or Swedish wages, or Turkish wages, or Roumanian wages, or even English wages? It is easily seen that the kind of standard a country has does not rule the question of wages.

Grosvenor's Bogies.

Hon. Charles Henry Gosvenor, the lightning calculator of the McKinley boom, has returned from England with a fresh consignment of bogies. He declares the English are bitterly opposed to the election of McKinley. Of course Mr. Grosvenor doesn't secure this information from the English newspapers, as they are engaged in throwing cold water on the Democratic nominee.—Exchange.

To whose advantage is the gold standard? The Shylocks of Europe and the goldbugs of Wall street. And at whose loss? The toiling masses.

In the Doubtful Column.

There are evidently enough Democrats left in New York to make the state doubtful.

WORKINGMEN PLUNDERED.

Disgraceful Methods Employed to Swell the Republican Campaign Fund.

Though many wrongs have been committed in the name of politics which have rudely shocked the public conscience and produced a popular revulsion, no scheme of plunder has yet been carried out or even proposed which rivals in its revolting aspects the outrageous system of extortion which the Republican leaders propose to carry out in this campaign. No language too severe can be employed in denouncing such flagitious methods.

To make the charge more specific, the senior member of the great steel firm of Jones & Laughlin of Pittsburg, who was at the head of the Republican national committee in 1884, and who is also one of the most conspicuous leaders in the present campaign, has posted up a notice in his mammoth establishment calling upon each of his employees to contribute the sum of $1 to the campaign fund. In view of the relations existing between the head of a large business firm and the men employed under him, a mere verbal request has ofttimes the force of a command. When the request is put into writing and displayed in some conspicuous place in the establishment, its compulsory effect is considerably increased. No excuse can be pleaded, and the man who is so fearless of lightning as to oppose the will of his employer is more than apt to find himself without a job.

To make the American laborer contribute to the Republican campaign fund otherwise than as a voluntary act on his part is little short of absolute despotism. It simply means that he must contribute to his own misery, and, instead of raising a virtuous protest against such ill treatment, content himself rather with praising the heel that grinds him to the earth.

Such a plan for raising campaign money should bring the blush to the cheek of every honest Republican. The American people will not indorse such methods, and when the day of election comes they will record their protest in the overwhelming defeat of the party which tolerates such a practice.

Methods of this kind will write disgrace as well as defeat upon the Republican banner.—Atlanta Constitution.

The masses have governed this their own country wisely and well for more than a century, and all its interests of every kind will be far safer in their hands than in those of the arrogant few, who now, as ever, denounce the people as unfit for self government and propose to build an aristocracy of wealth upon the ruins of the republic.

OUT OF BONDAGE.

Jefferson Led the People a Century Ago as Bryan Does Today.

It is well to recall at the close of the century the ravings of the "monocrats" when Thomas Jefferson led the people back to the possession of their own in 1800. At that time Jefferson, Madison, Gallatin and the honest and sturdy republicans who stood for constitutional liberty were reviled almost as bitterly as are the Democrats of today.

The language in which the favorites of government under Federalist administration—"the rich and the well born," as Colonel Hamilton described them, the owners of the public debts and the applicants for tariff protection and bounties—assailed the decent people of the country at that time was nearly the same as that in use by the same class today in their vain attempt to shame and terrorize the abused masses from a proper reassertion of their undoubted right to the control and management of their own government.

But it is hackneyed and outworn. It has done service too long to be effective. The people understand its purpose, and its only effect will be to arouse them further and to increase the enormous majority with which they propose to seat their brave young leader in the chair of Jefferson.

In Mexico, where the standard of redemption has remained gold and silver, cotton brings 16 to 18 cents and wheat and corn $1.25, and fixed charges, like debts, taxes and railroad rates, have not gone up.

Pennsylvania May Be Won.

Pennsylvania is a debatable state in the presidential campaign. This assertion may be doubted by some. But let the doubter look over his list of Republican friends and acquaintances, particularly among the farmers and laboring classes, and pick out those who will support Bryan. He will find quite a number. Of course some Democrats will support McKinley, but not many of the rank and file. Pennsylvania voters are impulsive, particularly when they think they are not getting justice.—Oil City Derrick.

When money is dear, it is harder to get any of it. As our American dollar has grown year by year more valuable than the Mexican dollar, so has it grown harder year by year to get employment.

His Record Pursues Him.

The "Little Napoleon" cannot shake off that silver record he made at the tender age of 35 years, especially as it has been ratified by later utterances. It was since he rounded the half century mark that he publicly and emphatically declared for both gold and silver as money of redemption. "I want the double standard," were the words he used.

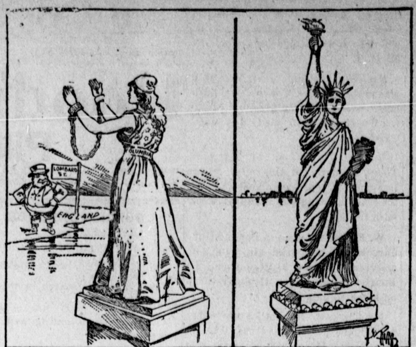
Evidence of Anarchy.

We trust the New York newspapers will not overlook the fact that Senator Sherman also read his opening campaign speech. This is another evidence of "lunacy" and "anarchy."—Washington Post.

The Great Political Change.

The greatest political change in the present attitude of Democracy is that its rank and file are leading the bosses instead of the latter leading the former.—Exchange.

TWO CONCEPTIONS OF COLUMBIA.



THE WALL STREET IDEA. "LIBERTY ENLIGHTENING THE WORLD."

A few of your financiers would fashion a new figure—a figure representing Columbia, her hands bound fast with fetters of gold and her face turned toward the east, appealing for assistance to those who live beyond the sea, but this figure can never express your idea of this nation. You will rather turn for inspiration to the heroic statue which guards the entrance to your city. That figure—Liberty Enlightening the World—is emblematic of the mission of our nation among the nations of the earth.—W. J. Bryan at Madison Square Garden.

—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

PHILOSOPHY OF STRIKES.

What the Gold Standard Has Done For the Workingman.

Among the various evils which the Republican policy of finance has engendered in this country may be included the labor strikes which have occurred with such deplorable frequency within the last few years.

When money is plentiful and times prosperous, no one ever hears a murmur of complaint from labor. It is only when depression settles upon the money market and the producers of the land are unable to realize anything like a satisfactory price for the articles which they produce that labor becomes restless and dissatisfied.

Strikes were never heard of until the single gold standard was foisted upon the country. Then began the long period of discontent which has continued down to the present time.

Taking the figures contained in the official records, the amount of money which the laboring men of this country have lost since 1881 aggregates nearly $200,000,000, while during the same time employers likewise have suffered to the extent of $95,000,000.

The unhappy condition of things which these figures set forth is directly traceable to the single gold standard. As the volume of the nation's currency has been restricted prices have necessarily been reduced, and with the decline in prices there has been a consequent if not a simultaneous decline in wages. In order to restore good times and prevent the possibility of strikes it is necessary that silver should be placed on a parity with gold. Until this is done strikes will abound, and the specters of want and suffering will continue to stalk abroad through the land.

The alignment, the people on the one side and the monopolists on the other, is a sufficient demonstration to the popular mind of the proper place in this campaign for every man who seeks by his vote to produce the greatest good to the greatest number.

NO SCALING DOWN.

Under Free Coinage Silver Dollars Will Be Worth as Much as Now.

Nobody is going to be scaled down on account of the rehabilitation of silver, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. Employees and beneficiaries of life insurance policies are paid in silver dollars now, and silver dollars under free coinage will be as good as they are now. One of the effects of free and unlimited coinage of both money metals would be to bring gold into circulation on a par with silver.

A gold dollar is no better than a silver dollar now. It will buy no more and pay no more debt. That is to say, it is no better to the everyday citizen. The only reason it is better to the New York capitalist and trader in money, is because it enables him to control the bond issues of the United States. The government, not by law or worthy precedent, but by the will of Grover Cleveland, supported by the Republican politicians, has set up a fictitious gold redemption policy.

I have never at any time or under any circumstances been in the employ of any mine owners individually or collectively, directly or indirectly, nor have I ever been in the employ of or been paid by any bimetallic league or association.—William J. Bryan.

Like Benedict Arnold.

The bolting goldbug Democrats claim that they are trying to elect McKinley as a means of saving the Democratic party. Benedict Arnold claimed that he went over to the British as a means of saving the country from the disastrous effects of a war that was certain to prove a failure.—Milwaukee News.

Foolish "Object Lessons."

When a manufacturing establishment that is three months behind with its orders reduces its output and throws its employees out of work, it is quite evident that it is controlled by both "fools and frauds."—New York Journal.

An Unfailing Sign.

Whenever the organs of the corporations begin to print pictures of capital and labor standing shoulder to shoulder it is always safe to assume that there is an election near at hand.—Exchange.

DEMOCRACY'S NEW ERA.

It Marks the End of the Reign of Monopoly and Greed.

William J. Bryan has opened a fresh chapter of American history and headed the Democratic ship upon the tack on which she must hereafter sail. He has said to the American people that henceforth Democracy will not be merely a name, but an assurance of government for the benefit of the people; that monopoly and greed shall no longer shelter themselves by it; that the people are ready to take command of their own future, and that we can no longer afford to bow to the dictation of Lombard street in our public financial affairs.

The first chapter of our national annals is filled with the struggle of the masses for the right to vote without property qualification, for the freedom of the seas and the acquisition of needed neighboring territory. The second was disfigured by the unhappy war about slavery, the creation of an enormous public debt, the dislocation of our currency and the rapacity of the public creditors. The present, or third, epoch is to be marked by the struggle of the common people to free themselves from the meshes in which the financiers have involved them, to purify our public treasury and to restore equality of rights gravely menaced. As Jefferson led the Democracy in its first effort, so Bryan will be at the head of the present one.

It is a new era, but it is the old Democracy still. The Democracy never dies. It is always contending for human rights, liberties and progress.—New York News.

The Democratic party has not made the issue between aggregate wealth, corporate influence and the masses of the people. That issue has been made by 30 years of Republican legislation in the interests of capital and wealth.

SHERMAN'S WEAKNESS.

His Besetting Infirmity Crops Out In His Columbus Speech.

Twice in the course of Senator Sherman's speech at Columbus, O., he utters the exploded falsehood that the decline in the value of silver was caused by the excessive quantity of silver produced relatively to the output of gold since 1873 We have repeatedly published in The Journal the statistics showing that the number of ounces of silver produced between 1873 and 1896 throughout the world is exactly 16½ to every ounce of gold produced in the same period. The rate of production for the whole 23 years, taken together, has been more exactly that required to maintain the ratio of 16 to 1 than it ever was before in the world's history.

The only cause for the depreciation in silver, therefore, is to be found in the adverse action of governments, and not in overproduction by the mines. Mr. Sherman knows this, and, knowing it, his speech has that flavor of unscrupulousness about it which is Sherman's besetting infirmity.—New York Journal.

The American people want as good money as there is in the world, and they propose to have it. They intend to use both gold and silver at a ratio which will keep both of equal value.

Let the Major Answer.

"No government can get on unless it preserves its honor," says Major McKinley. Will not the major halt in the delivery of generalities and tell the people how he would save the honor of the government? Would it be by taxing the people to issue bonds for the accommodation of brokers and speculators?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The issues in this campaign array the farmer, manufacturer, merchant and wageworker on one side and the man who lives on the interest of his investments on the other.

A Greater Annoyance In Store.

The oratory of Bryan is continuing to greatly disturb the equanimity of New York editors. This is nothing, however, to the annoying effect his election will have.—St. Louis Republic.

Where Money Fails.

Hanna has a thorough belief in the motto that money talks. Money, however, does not purchase the ballot of the honest voter.—Exchange.

BRYAN AND WAGEWORKERS.

The Plain People Are United For Democracy's Champion.

The Hanna organs and orators are developing the deepest concern for the workingman, says the Kansas City Times. For the first time in four years he has become the idol of their hearts, the center and source of all their solicitude. From their coupon clipping, their money shaving, their bond jobbing operations these Hannaites are "turning aside daily in order to warn the man who labors on the railroad, in the store, the mine, the factory, the shop, that if Bryan is elected his wages will be cut in two, and that his dinner pail will go empty. How much effect this eleventh hour sympathy is having on the men whom it is intended to gull is shown by the fact that of all the labor papers in the United States not one is for Hanna and McKinley. There is not a single labor leader of national influence who does not speak for the cause of Democracy as the hope of the wageworkers.

The following extract from The Knights of Labor Journal, the official organ of the order, will serve to show the general trend of opinion among the workingmen on these matters:

"Bryan is the man of the hour, brought forth by the necessities of the occasion. Bryan's whole course as a politician has been clean, consistent, forceful, manly. There are no dubious utterances of his to explain away. His position upon the chief issues has been long and definitely established, and in their defense he had already won his spurs before his name was dreamed of in connection with the presidency.

"All the powers of wealth and the influence it brings are already at work to compass his defeat. Every legal robber in the United States regardless of his former politics, every man whose interest lies in the continued subjugation of the wage earner and farmer, every sheet which has prospered and grown upon the subsidies to be obtained for treachery—all this tremendous force is already moving to prevent the coming triumph of the plain people."

This tremendous movement by the common people of America for the reclamation of popular rights, for redress of popular grievances, for the restoration of popular rule, and for the correction of long standing and intolerable abuses for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many, is right and just, and as the wisest observers now believe absolutely irresistible.

LOGIC OF FOOLS.

Sample of the Republican Arguments Against Free Silver.

In the same column a Republican organ tells the workingman that if he votes for Bryan he will vote 47 per cent of his wages into the pockets of mine owners, and that he will vote to depreciate not only the silver dollar, but all the currency to 53 cents on the dollar.

How, in the name of Hanna, can free silver coinage put 47 per cent of each dollar coined into the pocket of the silver miner and at the same time reduce the value of the silver dollar and all the currency dependent upon it to the value of 53 cents?

Any schoolboy can figure out that if the value of the silver dollar depreciates to 53 cents or anything less than its face value the miner cannot make 47 cents by its free coinage at the mints; or, to put it the other way, if the miner makes 47 cents, the value of the silver dollar will have to be raised to the value of the present gold dollar, in which case there will be no depreciation of the currency. The gold standard advocate can take his choice of alternatives, but not both.

This is a fair sample of the kind of logic with which Hanna's agents are flooding the country. It proceeds on the assumption that the workingmen are fools.—St. Louis Republic.

European bankers want gold only because gold would be the scarcest possible money metal. They want the business of the world done on a credit basis, they to control all cash used and to determine all credits.

Billingsgate and Bombast.

The Democratic party may well welcome Mr. Cockran's speech, for it puts in compact form the whole argument of the enemy. That it was addressed to an audience of creditable proportions adds to its worth to those against whom it was directed. And with the satisfaction which all Democrats must feel in finding the foremost champion of the anti-Bryan forces so weak a tribune must be added a certain amusement in noting that while Bryan, "the boy orator," offered New Yorkers argument and statistics Cockran, the much lauded statesman, gave them billingsgate and bombast.—New York Journal.

When the courts can step in to prevent business competition—competition that is always beneficial to the consumer—the remarks of the late Charles Sumner become more pertinent than ever.

Silver and the Bankers.

If free silver would enable the bankers to pay their depositors with 50 cents on the dollar, all the bankers in the United States would be climbing over one another to get into the free silver party. The people of this country know that bankers are just as human as other folk.—Albuquerque (N. M.) Democrat.

The Truth About Gold.

"Each step toward a universal gold standard enhances the purchasing power of gold, depresses prices and transfers to the pockets of the creditor class an unearned increment," said Mr. Bryan in New York. And every voter, as well as Mr. Bryan, knows this to be true.—New York News.

Object Lesson Nonsense.

The Mexican dollar "object lesson" ought to be good for kindergarten work in the asylums for the incurable insane.—Washington Post.

MONEY CAN'T CONTROL THEM.

The People Rising to Assert Their Sovereignty.

THEY WILL NOT BE ENSLAVED.

Gold Is Powerless to Stop the Onward March of a Nation of Freemen—American Sentiment Is Opposed to Government by Injunction—Freedom, Equality and Justice Must Prevail.

The Goulds, Vanderbilts, Sages, Whitneys and Morgans, whose money has controlled New York politics for more than a quarter of a century, do not yet understand what has happened in the country, but they do know that a determined attack has been made upon the intrenchments of their usurped power over the people. One who has watched them closely, with good opportunities to understand them, recently wrote of them that they are as angry, as confused and as anxious to sting as a colony of hornets whose nest has been suddenly torn down.

There is no doubt at all that they are deeply and bitterly enraged because of the straightforward Democratic declaration of independence adopted at Chicago. They feel that if any party is allowed to win after repudiating them and denying their right to rule they are likely to lose control of the government for years to come, if not permanently. There is, therefore, no likelihood that the reports of the sums they are raising to control the election exaggerate their intentions. But is it a case where $50,000,000 or $100,000,000 or $500,000,000 can stop the American people as they move forward in phalanx to assert their right to liberty and self government?

If unlimited money can settle the issues now before the country, Bryan is beaten, the Democratic party is whipped and disorganized, silver will be permanently demonetized, gold will become the sole standard of value in paying debts, corporation notes without legal tender quality will be the sole money available for borrowers and for the payment of wages, the usurped power of the federal courts will be extended, government by injunction will be established, trial by jury will be abolished wherever plutocracy has need of haste in putting down the people, the national debt will be perpetuated and increased, bond issues in time of peace will be continued to form a basis for a corporation currency and to prevent the free circulation of gold, wages and the products of our industries of farm and factory will be forced steadily downward, the wealth of the country will continue to flow into the possession of the few who are already immensely wealthy and the "commune of capital" will be permanently established on the ruins of a government in which Washington and Jefferson saw the world's hope for freedom, for equality, for justice.

If money in unlimited quantities can control the American people, they will now be controlled and enslaved. But can money control them?

They are already beginning to answer the question. They answered it in Alabama the other day. In Maryland where local elections have been held they have shown that the purchase of their bosses is not the purchase of their votes, and in Tennessee they have given a still more striking proof of their determination to vindicate their liberties.

One of two things must happen certainly. Overwhelmed by the millions contributed to corruption funds against it, the Democratic party must either sustain a defeat unprecedented in politics, or, supported by an indignant people rising to assert their sovereignty, it must win such a victory as has not been won since Thomas Jefferson led the masses to the victory of 1800 which wiped out the monarchical and Federalistic party and changed the history of the world.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Behind the shield of gold lurks every unlawful trust, every plundering combine, every mighty corporation, transgressing constitutions and laws, and every special interest having or seeking special privileges, with their myriad fingers searching the pockets of the people for the last remnants of the profits of their labor.

The South Is Still Solid.

The Nashville American, a vigorous advocate of the gold standard while it was an open question, expresses the following opinion:

While there are plenty of Democrats in all the southern states who do not indorse the Chicago platform, they will not be and are not now willing to disrupt the party in aid of the Repbulican party. They will remain in the party.

The Democratic party takes the position that wealth and capital should be placed upon the same plane as the interests of the people and should share with them, without advantage or prejudice, the benefit of legislation.

Silver In France.

France, with a population a little less than 40,000,000, has more silver stock than the United States with nearly 70,000,000 of people. Yet France maintains the parity between gold and silver at 15½ to 1 on a double standard, and it is proclaimed that the United States cannot have any more silver at 16 to 1 without rushing to ruin.—Harold Johnston.

Republican Inconsistency.

Consistency, gentlemen Hannaites. A week ago you were alleging that silver mine owners were running the Bryan committee, and yesterday you were chaffing Democratic Chairman Jones because of the poverty of his committee at Washington in formulating the campaign.—New York News.

Headache Destroys Health

Resulting in poor memory, irritability, nervousness and intellectual exhaustion. It induces other forms of disease, such as epilepsy, heart disease, apoplexy, insanity, etc.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Cures.

Mrs. Chas. A. Myers, 201 Hanna St., Fort Wayne, Ind., writes Oct. 7, 1894: "I suffered terribly with severe headaches, dizziness, backache and nervousness, gradually growing worse until my life was despaired of, and try what we would, I found no relief until I commenced using Dr. Miles' Nervine. I have taken five bottles and believe I am a well woman, and I have taken great comfort in recommending all of my friends to use Nervine. You may publish this letter if you wish, and I hope it may be the means of saving some other sick mother's life, as it did mine."

On sale by all druggists. Book on Heart and Nerves sent FREE. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Remedies Restore Health.

CLIPPINGS.

Bicycles checked free at the opera house is the odd news that comes from Burlington, Vt.

Twenty-five thousand bushels of huckleberries were picked from the New Haven marsh in Ohio this season.

Dreaming of an Arctic journey, a Phœnix, Ariz., barber awoke to find that a thief had called and stolen the blankets from his bed.

Mosquitoes have so preyed upon the convicts of an Indiana prison that the Warden has taken special measures to drive the pests away.

Patent needle threaders were sold in considerable numbers by an itinerant huckster who visited Kansas City, one day, but men were his only customers.

While at play in a cematary at Halifax, a girl leaned against a tombstone back of which her brother was sitting and it fell on him, breaking his thigh.

At Richmond, Mo., a thorn from a hedge he was trimming flew into the eye of a gardner, and, the point breaking off in the eyeball, sight was destroyed.

While desending by means of a parachute, an aeronaut at Dallas, Tex., got between the forked limbs of a tree, his head caught in the crotch and he was hanged.

Cheops's pyramid reproduced on a one-sixth scale in cotton bales or iron duplicates of them is proposed by the Commissioners of Shelby county for the Tennessee Centenial.

Two thousand men from all the districts of Ontario arrived at Toronto in one day last week, on their way to Manitoba and the Northwest to get in the wheat crop. They went westward on special trains.

Lord Sholto Douglas has gone from Arizona to Los Angeles, following his wife. He told a reporter he was going to leave that blasted country, having made no better success of fruit peddling than of gold digging.

In his pay envelope a Pennsylvania Railroad employe living at Valparaiso, Ind., found a five dollar note on which was written. "This bill represents the last of a fortune, all squandered on women and cards."

That much ridiculed instinct which leads a crowd to collect without a clear idea of the reason for gathering, worked an unusual good at Tacoma, Wash., the other day. Somebody saw early in the morning, a grief-stricken man walking toward the river with a small coffin. With him were his wife and a stranger who bore the coffin box. Without knowing just why, a man fell in behind them, another and another followed until there was a goodly company. At the river side strangers put the coffin into the box and placed it aboard the boat. A flower boy who had just landed and joined the crowd laid a wreath on the casket. All was done silently, and the father, as he embarked, turned and in tears returned thanks for having found friends in a city of strangers.

NOT A STICK

Left Standing of a thriving MichiganTown—Citizens Fled For Their Lives.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 25.—News reached here this afternoon that Ontonagnon, Mich., the oldest town on the Upper Michigan Peninsular, has been entirely wiped out by forest fires, which have been raging in that vicinity. Two large saw mills together with 20,000,000 feet of lumber, were burned. Every business block is in ashes and all dwellings and public buildings are in ruins. Hundreds of people had to flee for their lives and are homeless. The loss is estimated at $500,000.

No loss of life is reported. Ontonagnon is 347 miles from Milwaukee. It was a delightful and popular summer resort. It had a Catholic, Episcopal, Methodist and Presbyterian Church, a graded public school, a handsome court house, a new opera house, a bank and two weekly newspapers.

There were two large saw mills, employing about 800 men and a box factory, employing over 100 men. It had a population of 1,500, all now homeless.

Honor For An Eldorado Doctor.

The second Pan Ameican Medical congress will meet in the City of Mexico next November, and in that great body Eldora is not without merited recognition. Our worthy townsman, Dr. N. C. Morse, has received the letter given in full below and which speaks for itself. We understand that Dr. Morse will read a paper before this congress, and we doubt not that it will reflect credit, not only to our city, but to our state as well. The doctor has read several very able papers on Christian Science and other topics before state medical associations, which have won for him an enviable reputation and secured this recognition.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 11, 1896.
Dr. N. C. Morse, Eldora, Ia.

By direction of the International Executive committee for the United States and under the authortty of the committee on organization in Mexico, I take pleasure in informing you that you have been elected, on behalf of the United States honorary chairman of the section on general medicine of the second Pan American Medical congress, to be held in the City of Mexico, Nov. 16, 17, 18 and 19, 1896.

Very sincerely yours,
CHARLES A. L. REED,
Sec'y International Ex. Com.
—Eldora (Iowa) Herald.

Dr. Moorse is a brother of Mrs. W. O. Cheuault, this county; was formerly a resident of Eastern Ky. for several years, and is well known both there and here. We congratulate Dr. Morse.

Lillian is Saucy.

I am what they call sweet sixteen. I can make those delicious ices and puddings, but I don't work out-of-doors. I don't get time to do that and do much housework; not even to milk, which is so often included among the household duties. I have often noticed that it made a woman slouchy and untidy to work out in the field. I too, am like Buckeye farmer; I don't see any resemblance to a hired man in No. 4. She looks to me like a very beautiful and accomplished girl. My mamma once hired a girl to work for us who had been in the habit of working out-of-doors. Inside of two months she had broken a set of dishes, rolling pin, cream thermometer, two rocking chairs, the organ and kicked a hole through a fine walnu dresser. One night while asleep she stuck her foot out of bed and kicked the whole window out. She stamped over the carpet as if she was mashing clods on plowed ground. The damages amounted to about $50. We paid her $1.50 per week for three months. What was our loss? I would say to Staten Islander's Son, go and soak your head for the next six months.—Lilliam Ross.

John and Peter Cockrill returned from Cumberland Gap last Wednesday, where they had been to purchase some breeding cattle. They did not find the stock to suit them, but each had a novelty in the way of a canteen. They were made from a cedar log taken from Fort Edwards, which was built by command of General Felix K. Zollicoffer, commanding officer at Cumberland Gap, Septembe, 1861.

A Ringing Call.

The voice of labor is a ringing call for W. J. Bryan.—Austin Democrat.

ON A KITE.

Photograps of the City of Boston Taken at the Height of Eighteen Hundred Feet.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 25.—The world's kite flying record was broken here today, photographs of the city of Boston being taken at a height of 1,800 feet. William A. Eddy, the scientist and inventor of the famous Eddy tailless kite, began the second of his series of kiting experiments from the roof of the new Tremont Building at 9 o'clock this forenoon.

The great altitude was obtained by a team of eight kites, five of them above the camera and three below.

The camera used was an ordinary one, but with an extra fine lens, so that the photographs are subject to almost indefinite enlargement without losing their clearness. The drop shutter is operated by jerking a piece of coarse linen thread attached to it, and the focus is a universal one, requiring no adjustment.

The fruits of the record breaking experiment came near being lost to the scientific world, for the string broke, and away soared the strange looking string of kites, with the camera containing the precious pictures from the skies dangling on behind. They landed in the branches of a lofty tree on the commons, and were rescued by a daring climber.

A KENTUCKY GIRL

To Take the Stump For Silver.

One of the talented young ladies of Paris is to exemplify the advancement of the new woman by taking the political platform for Bryan and free silver, says a dispatch to the Cincinnati Enquirer She is Miss Margaret Ingels, the handsome daughter of a sturdy and life-long Democrat of that place, and is endowed with rare oratorical powers. As she says herself; "My father has been all his life a Democrat, and now that this great question has arisen, I am going to echo his sentiments and stump the south for Bryan and free silver."

Miss Ingalls at an early age showed elocutionary talent. She was educated at Daughters' College, Harrodsburg, Ky., and became a pupil of Prof. Hawes, of Louisville. Later, she studied in New York for a dramatic career. She is well grounded on the issue, and can present it forcibly and eloquently. Her services will be placed at the dispasal of the State and National committees and she will no doubt be of great value in the campaign of education.

The world's available stocks of sugars are reported at 1,632,000 tons compared with 1,855,000 tons a year ago, a decrease during the past 12 months of 223,000 tons. Standing alone, this statement would point to reasons for more strength in the market than is or for a long time past has been apparent. Present world's supplies are materially larger than an average prior to a year ago, however, and this, with conditions that have been touched upon in these columns frequently, forms a reason for the listless market. The season is now at hand for enormous consumption in preserving fruits, stimulated by the low prices. Furthermore some time must elapse before the new crop sugar is available and recognition must also be made of the Cuban situation. It has long been a foregone conclusion that the output there will be greatly lessened. The Sugar Trade Journal places the visible Cuban crop at only 225,000 tons against 1,020,000 same time last year. While the statistical situation thus has elements of strength, the general trade quietude prevents advance, although offerings of both raws and refined are not pressing on the market. Taking the N. Y. market as a basis, granulated is quotable around 4½@4⅝c per lb., German do 4½, Dutch 4⅝c.

A Card.

To the kind neighbors and friends who were with us in our great trouble, we take this method of thanking them for their sympathy and deeds of kindness and do sincerely hope that they will nevercr be called on to endure such great sorrow. Respectfully,

W. H. SETTLES, and Family.

A Fact Worth Knowing.

Consumption, LaGrippe, Pneumonia, and all Throat and Lung diseases are cured by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

What stops Neuralgia? Dr. Miles' Pain Pills

HON. C. T. CALDWELL.

Of Parkersburg, W. Va., Recommends Wrights Celery Capsules.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 26, '95.
THE WRIGHT MED. CO.,
Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I have been using Wright's Celery Capsules since Nov., 1894, and find them to be as recommended, I first began taking them while at Hot Springs, Ark., under treatment for Sciatic Rheumatism. Liver, stomach trouble and constipation with which I had been a long sufferer. I found the Celery Capsules gave me great relief from the beginning and have used them ever since. With pleasure, and unsolicited, I recommend to them to any and all suffering with like afflictions or either of them.

Tery truly yours,
CHARLES T. CALDWELL.

Sold by W. S. Lloyd, Druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00 per box. Call for free sample. 51-tf

The hog butter trade is on the decline. Its product during the fiscal year ended June 30, was 46,650,000 lbs, compared to 53,050,000 lbs the year before and 70,000,000 lbs., in 1894, which was the high water mark. In spite of the decrease, the output of some 20 oleo factories is about double the total butter product of the great dairy state of New York, with its 700 butter factories and millions of cows. The hog butter fraud has nearly numbered its days. So long as this stuff can be made at a cost of 4½ cents per lb, the margin in the business of selling it at butter prices will induce men to keep at it. But the public at home and abroad are waking up, and with honest butter produced in enormous quantities and sold to consumers at cost and less, oleo must go.

The present slaughter of railroad freight rates at the west vitally affects the farmers. Grain is being hauled from Missouri river points to Chicago —500 to 800 miles—for 9c per hundred lbs, and it is believed that the all rail rate, Chicago to New York, will soon go to 10c for 1,000 mile haul. In other words the western rates are already cut in two, and now it is proposed to halve eastern rates. Unless this is done it is said New York's supremacy in the grain export trade will be captured by New Orleans. Rates from north to the south are also being heavily reduced but the cut northward is not so great. The pool of the transcontinental lines is maintaining quite stiff rates from the Pacific coast, which cries loudly for relief and looks to the Nicaragua canal for it. Local freight rates continue out of all proportion to through charges.

Spoons Free to All.

I read in the Christian Standard that Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A., St. Louis, Mo., would give an elegant plated hook spoon to any one sending her ten two-cent stamps. I sent for and found it so useful that I showed it to my friends, and made $13 in two hours, taking orders for the spoon. The hook spoon is a household necessity. It cannot slip into the dish or cooking vessel, being held in place by a hook on the back. The spoon is something housekeepers have needed ever since spoons were first invented. Any one can get a sample spoon by sending ten 2-cent stamps to Miss Fritz. This is a splendid way to make money around home.

Very Truly,
46-13t JEANETTE S.

A Poppy Seed.

I hope that Granite State Girl has not been standing up all this time or bending too closely over her poppy bed. When I look at a poppy seed and think of the gorgeous beauty and the necromantic power confined within that tiny space, I am filled with awe. In that little ball lies fettered a force that, like a ministering angel, can alleviate the keenest pangs of physical suffering, or is able to drag the brightest intellect down to despair and perdition. Whence comes this subtle power, mighty for either good or evil, waiting the will of man to build or to destroy.—[Bay State Boy.

Read Mr. Thomas C. Walsch's advertisment in another column. Don't fail to see him before letting contracts. Being equipped for his business he makes the best roads and does the work in short time. All stone is crushed by steam power. Sycamore street on which he is now working will furnish a sample of his work. He is prepared to do all kinds of stone work and takes pleasure in making bids.

Grubbs & Hazelrigg

Remnants of Dress Goods.

Nothing wrong with them. The last few yards of the piece cost us just as much as the first. Going to sell them at a sacrifice though; they litter the stock. Good picking here for the child's Fall School dress. Why not look ahead a bit and by so doing save a dollar.

Broken Lots and Ends of Silk

Good waist lengths among them. Some at about one-half regular prices. They'll move quick when the news gets out.

Good-Bye to Wash Goods.

The left-overs from the output of the season are going to be turned into money at short notice. The prices are absurd, but we don't want to winter them.

☞ All summer goods at cut prices now.

Grubbs & Hazelrigg.

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CURES Colic, Cramps, Diarrhœa, Flux, Cholera Morbus, Nausea, Changes of Water, Etc.

HEALS Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Scratches, Bites of Animals and Bugs, Etc. Tastes Good. Smells Good.

BREAKS UP A COLD.

SOLD EVERYWHERE—25 AND 50c PER BOTTLE. NO RELIEF, NO PAY.
50c size contains two and one half times as much as 25c bottle.

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A Fall in Silver

has made silverwear correspondingly less in price, and you can get to-day articles made of that metal at figures which would have astonished your parents. The passing of the Holidays, too, has something to do with the decreased price and there is no better time than now to avail yourself of bargains.

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Handlers of BURLEY TOBACCO. Have a contract for 5,000 Hogsheads of Bright to Colory Lugs. Liberal advances made on shipments inhand

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The man who uses ANIMAL BONE FERTILIZERS.
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JAPANESE PILE CURE

50c. and $1 per box, 6 for $5. Japanese Pile Ointment, 25 and 50c. per box. Japanese Liver Pellets, 50 pills, 25c.

Will cure all kinds of Piles. Why suffer with this terrible disease? We give written guarantee with 6 $1.00 boxes, to refund the money if not cured. Mailed to any address on receipt of price. The Japanese Pile Cure Company, St. Paul, Minn.

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First-class in all its appointments—the traveling man's home. Three sample rooms on the first floor. Table supplied with the best of everything. Come and see for yourself.

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DRY GOODS.

Heavy Brown Cotton, 4c per yard.
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One lot of Lawns to close out at 2½c per yard.
Remnants of Wash Goods at your own price.
Good Crash Toweling at 2½c per yard.

SHOES.

Infants' Shoes, 19c.
Children's Shoes, 25c and up.
Misses' and Children's Slippers below cost.
Ladies' Slippers, 49c and up.
Ladies' Kid Button Shoes, 89c.
Men's Fine Shoes, 98c.
Men's Plow Shoes, 79c.

CLOTHING.

Boys' Knee Pants, 19c.
Boys' Knee Suits, 79c.
Youths' Suits, in all sizes, from $1.19 up.
Men's Suits as low as $2.00.
Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, $4.98.

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WE CARRY THE LARGEST LINE IN THE CITY.

Good Matting at 8c per yard.
Cotton Warp Matting at 16c per yard.
We have a lot of Remnants of Carpets which we will close out at most any price.
We have a full line of Trunks and Telescopes.

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In all departments, which enables you to

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IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR LOW PRICES ALWAYS GO TO THE CHEAPEST AND LARGEST STORE

"The Louisville Store" of HAYS & NEWMEYER.

A reception was given Li Hung Chang by President Cleveland.

Sharpsburg is to have a new town well which will be 100 feet deep.

In Bell county the increase in public schools has been 40 per cent., owing to the compulsory educational law.

The Fair to be held at Sharpsburg ginning September 16, will be largely attended. We know it because everybody is talking up the Fair.

The Graded School will open next Monday the 7th, and since we are now under a compulsory law all children of school age will be there. The rooms will be crowded.

At New Providence in Calloway county, E. H. Holley, merchant, assigned. Liabilities $10,000. Cause, the scarcity of money with his customers with which to make purchases.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Coldest Winter in Thirty Years.

Asa Martin a weather profit of Lexington predicts: "First frost Sept. 5 first snow Oct. 27 or Nov 5; bigest snow Jan. 26–27. Formice seasons one in December two in January and one in February.

Col. H. L. Stone, who cut so prominent a feature as attorney for the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Louisville, in the impeachment and contempt proceedings, is broken down mentally and physically, and has gone East for a two weeks' rest. Before going he and his associate counsel advised Mayor Todd and the Aldermen to comply with the order of Judge Tony.

Attempt at Murder.

A colored cook attempted to poison the family of O. T. Torian, in Paducah, by putting Rough on Rats in the coffee. They narrowly escaped death. The negro confessed the crime, and claims that another negro, Henry Barber, who had been ordered to keep away from the house, was the instigator of the crime.

Preacher Gets Sent Up for Bigamy

G. W. Wesley, a Baptist preacher, who was arrested recently in Laurell county under the charge of bigamy,pleaded guilty and was sent to the penitentiary for three years. His first wife lives in Lewis county and has five children; second one in Portsmouth. She knew him as Wm. Russell, and married him. He married the third wife while carrying on a protracted meeting in Lawrence county recently.

Entitled to His Opinion.

Having made one speech for McKinley, John Sherman feels very sure that he will be elected.—Rochester Times.

"THE PUDDINS"

Take a Game From the Maysville Beefers Dead Easy—The Beefers Win the Second Game.

The Maysville Base Ball Team came to our city last Thursday to play two exhibition games. About 500 people witnessed the contest. The first game Friday, was one-sided, and therefore there is very little story to the game. Punch seemed to get on his trilbys and sent balls over the plate in such speed and in so many different zigzags that it was utterly impossible for the Beefers to get more than three hits off his delivery, while the "Puddins"(?) found Hall just to their liking, and pounded him for thirteen base hits The home team began scoring in the first inning and got, in succesion, nine scores up to the fourth, when they drew three goose eggs, and in the eigth put another score in the square, which netted them 10 runs. The visitors drew a great big naught in every inning, and at the close the game stood by innings as follows:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Mt. Sterling	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	*	10	13	1
Maysville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	10

Batteries—Punch and Heckman, Hall and Kellner.

FRIDAY'S GAME.

The second was a very pretty game for a few innings. The home team had the game socked, dead easy, but for a few costly errors in the eighth inning, which assisted in netting the visitors 4 runs. The game at this juncture stood 3 to 2 in favor of the home team. Houseman and McShane played pretty ball up to this point, when a short fly ball was knocked in the immediate vicinity of third base and through one or the other, reached terra firma safely, and a man on third was allowed to jog in home, thus tieing the score—3 to 3. After this the "Beefers" got in another score which put them in the lead without one earned run. Two weak points in the home team is enough to satisfy the "Beefers that they have nothing to crow over.. Gaines, third baseman, has a broken bone in his wrist, received in one of the games with Owensboro, and though he played Thursday he did not feel like playing in his usual good form. He did not play in this game and Punch, who pitched such effective ball, Thursday, occupied his position and did as well as could be expected after pitching the great ball he did on the previous day. Goyen was also out of the game, being threatened with fever. These two men are effective at their posts and had they been on duty Taylor would have won his game. Taylor pitched winning ball, striking out 10 men. He is all right and knows how to handle the leather. Following is the score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Mt. Sterl'g	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	4
Maysville	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	4	7	5

Batteries—Taylor and Heckman, Sheppard and Kellner.

A Paying Industry.

We have spoken about the Sharpsburg Flour Mills in former issues, and again it is subject of note on account of what it is not only locally, but on account of the large trade it attracts to Sharpsburg. There are reasons why M. V. Bostain, the proprietor, enjoys a lucrative trade. It is not because his mills are the largest, nor because he buyes better wheat than any other firm. It is true he handles only the best but being a pratical miller and with as good a plant as money can make it, he makes the highest and best grades with least expense. Then in addition to this he does not have to contend with high taxes, and his labor is very resonable, so that he can put his productions on the market at very close figures. In this day it is not the largest mills that do the business, but those which make the best and give the closest prices. Another feature favorable to these mills is Mr. Bostain is both a manager and hustler. When he goes out with his samples and names prices he is sure of orders. Mr. Bostain controls his local trade, buyes the best wheat in his locality and then hunts other fields for business. With small expenses, a large output, and running at full capacity, there is no reason under wise management why he should not succeed. Energy, a good plant and common sense wins every time.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 3432 hhds, with receipts for the same period 2513 hhds. Sales on our market since January 1, amount to 119.124 hhds. Sales of the crop of 1895 on our market to this date amount to 114,539 hhds.

The offerings on our market have been large again this week and we are able to report a general improvement in prices for all colory burley. Quite a number of good colory leaf were sold during the week at prices ranging from $15 to $20,50 per hundren. The red type of burley tobacco has also shown some slight advance in values. The crop is being rapidly housed and in many localities has been seriously damaged by worms.

The following quotations fairly represent our market for burley tobacco 1895 crop.

Trash. (Dark or damaged tobacco) $1.00 to $1.50.

Common colory trash, $2.00 to $3.50

Medium to good colory trash, $3.50 to $5.00.

Common lugs, not colory, $2.00 to $3.00.

Common colory lugs, $4.00 to $6.00.

Medium to good colory lugs, $6.00 to $8.00.

Common to medium leaf $5.00 to $7.00.

Medium to good leaf, $7.00 to $12.

Good to fine leaf, $12 to $15.

Select wrappery leaf, $15 to $18.00.

The above quotations are not applicable to green and frosted crops.

GLOVER & DURRETT.

Regular meeting of City Council tonight.

Religious.

Rev. Robert Thompson preached at Howard's Mill Church Sunday afternoon to a large congregation.

A protracted meeting is in progress at Sharpsburg Christian church. Elder C. A. Thomas is assisting pastor Cree.

A protracted meeting will begin at Sycamore Christian church Jeffersonville, on next Friday. Paster Elder Bela Metcalf will be assisted by Elder J. B. Greenwade.

Rev. C. J. Nugent preached at the Christian Church Sunday evening. This was the last of the series of union services, which have been very pleasant and we trust profitable. Mr. Nugent's subject was Temperance, and he strnck straight from the shoulder with facts and figures. Mr. Nugent is a sure enough temperance man, as his congregation found out Sunday evening.

There has a special request come to us for the congregation of the Christian Church to be at the services next Sunday morning. The attendance of every member of the congregation is urged. Come out and you will probably learn why this request is made at this time.

Housekeeping.

If a woman is in good health, there is no more healthful employment than housework. Generally speaking, there is no happier women in the world. But how different when every breath is pain, every step torture! This state of health, in nine cases out of ten, comes from derangements of the delicate, feminine organs of generation. The family doctor inquires first concerning these. He most usually insists upon an examination. From this the modest woman naturally shrinks. She is right except in very unusual cases of "female weakness" examinations are unnecessary. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a simple, natural remedy for these ills. It cures safely, permanently.

On last Sunday there was an excursion train from Cincinnati which brought about 600 people to Natural Bridge and if Bryan buttons count for any thing the entire crowd was for Bryan and Sewall.

The Democratic committee of the twenty-third district has called a primary election for Oct., 3rd., to select a candidate for Circuit Judge and and Commonwealth's Attorney.

Mrs. W. R. Nunnelley and children have returned from their summer vacation to Georgetown, Millersburg, and Chilesburg.

Hon. W. J. Bryan may stop over here on his way from the East. A big crowd will meet him.

Kentucky Conference of M. E. Church, South, will convene with the church at London on the 16th inst.

We desire to employ a good boy to learn the printer's trade.

Wright's Celery Tea cures constipation, sick headaches. 25c at druggists.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SEASHORE EXCURSIONS

Over Picturesque Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. to Old Point Comfort.

The annual excursion from Kentucky to the seashore is announced for Wednesday, August 26th. The rate from Mt. Sterling, Ky., for the round trip, $12.00 tickets, will be good going on either trains Two or FOUR, August 26th, and good returning until September 5th. Stop-overs will be granted at Richmond, Va., Clifton Forge, Va., Covington, Va., (Hot Springs) and White Sulphur Springs, on the return trip. This is the greatest excursion of the year. Take a dip in the sea and enjoy the fishing and sailing it offers.

Churning Done in One Minute.

I have tried the Lightning Churn you recently described in your paper and it is certainly a wonder. I can churn in less than one minute, and the butter is elegant, and you get considerable more butter than when you use a common churn. I took the agency for the churn here and every butter maker that sees it buys one. I have sold three dozen and they give the best of satisfaction I know I can sell 100 in this township, as they churn so quickly. make so much more butter than common churns and are so cheap. Some one in every township can make two or three hundred dollars selling these churns. By addressing J. F. Casey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., you can get circulars and full information so you can make big money right at home. I have made $80 in the past two weeks and I never sold anything before in my life.

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Personal.

FREE—64-page medical reference book to any person afflicted with any special, chronic or delicate disease peculiar to their sex. Address the leading physicians and surgeons of the United States, Dr. Hathaway & Co., 70 Dearborn street, Chicago, 43-1y

Notice.

The undrsigned as assignee of Senieur Buggy Co., gives notice to the public that he has this day entered a motion in the Montgomery County Court to be discharged of all liability as assignee of Senieur Buggy Co. under said deed of assignment, which notice will be acted upon the 3rd Monday in September, 1896.

R. A. CHILES,
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